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Amending Title 17, Chapter 447 of the Minneapolis Code of Ordinances relating to Streets and Sidewalks: Parades/Races.

The City Council of the City of Minneapolis do ordain as follows:

Section 1. That Section 447.10 of the above-entitled ordinance be amended by adding thereto the following definitions in alphabetical sequence to read as follows:

447.10. Definitions. As used in this chapter:

Compostable material shall have the meaning set out at Hennepin County Ordinance Number Thirteen as now in effect and as from time to time amended.

Non-recyclable material is any and all refuse, rubbish, or waste that does not meet the definition of recyclable material as set out in this chapter.

Organic material shall mean material that is derived from living organisms, and is capable of decay.

Recyclable materials processing facility shall have the meaning set out at Hennepin County Ordinance Number Thirteen as now in effect and as from time to time amended.

Section 2. That Chapter 447 of the Minneapolis Code of Ordinances be amended by adding thereto a new Section 477.91 to read as follows:

447.91 Refuse and recycling. (a) All parades/races shall provide for the collection of recyclable material separate from non-recyclable material, and shall thereafter arrange for the delivery of all recyclable material to a recyclable materials processing facility. In furtherance of this requirement, recyclable material containers must be equal in number and capacity to containers for non-recyclable materials, and must be situated within five feet thereof during the parade/race. Signage shall be placed at all permanent entrance points, as well as at all points of sale, directing patrons to recycle all paper, plastic, glass, and metal containers. In addition to the foregoing, at least one location shall be provided, and appropriately signed for the separate collection of corrugated cardboard. Prior to the parade/race, and without expense to the city, the applicant must provide a written plan to the city demonstrating how the applicant will

comply with the recycling requirements outlined in this subdivision. The applicant must also submit a valid processing facility weight ticket, to serve as proof of compliance with this subdivision, within five business days following the parade/race. Failure to comply with this subdivision may result in a claim for costs and/or damages under section 447.140 of this chapter.

(b) All parade/race applicants are encouraged to utilize compostable supplies, including but not limited to compostable cups, plates, flatware, napkins, and food packaging materials; applicants are further encouraged to arrange for the separate collection and ultimate composting of such supplies.

Section 3. That Chapter 447 of the Minneapolis Code of Ordinances be amended by adding thereto a new Section 455.100 to read as follows:

447.160 Effective date. Section 447.91 of this chapter shall become effective on January 1, 2013.